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SHARING CAPABILITIES WITH A POD

AMENDMENT

Mail Stop RCE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed April 29, 2010, the period of response for which runs through July 29, 2010, please amend the application as follows. This Amendment is accompanied by a Request for Continued Examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 and fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) and constitutes a sufficient submission.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.